

SKILLIN GAVE GOOD ADVICE

At the Annual Banquet Of the Rockland Chamber Of Commerce

The annual meeting of Rockland Chamber of Commerce was held Tuesday night at Hotel Rockland. Fifty-seven members and guests were present for the meeting which was preceded by a turkey supper.

Group singing was led by Lloyd E. Daniels, with Arthur P. Lamb at the piano. Seated at the head table were Lucius E. Jones, president, commencing his second one year term; Carroll B. Skillin, Portland attorney, guest speaker; Mrs. Lenore B. Savage, secretary the past 18 years; Joseph W. Robinson, treasurer nine years, and Lloyd E. Daniels, a director.

Mrs. Savage presented her report for the past year, high lights of which were reference to the fact that the secretary had served as chairman of the Civilian Placement Bureau; that an effort had been made to prevent discontinuance of the steamer service to the Islands; that the office had been used as a clearing house for distribution of Christmas baskets; that, considering tourist inactivity, there had been a gratifying amount of activity, with at least

1000 calling for information of various sort; that the Chamber had a meeting with OPA officials from Augusta to clear up ceiling price rulings and with Civilian Defense officials regarding black-out and dim-out regulations; that monthly meetings of the directors had been held and in addition, 52 meetings of directors, and that it recently had taken on the project of acting as a clearing house for the War Recreation Board, which combines all recreational facilities for the Coast Guard and Navy, under one head.

Recently elected officers, besides Mr. Jones, are Frederic H. Bird and Alfred C. Hocking, vice-presidents, serving in those capacities for the first time; and Mrs. Lenore B. Savage and Joseph W. Robinson, re-elected as secretary and treasurer respectively.

Those present were Carroll B. Skillin of Portland, L. E. Jones, J. W. Robinson, Mrs. Lenore B. Savage, L. E. Daniels, S. C. Burgess, F. A. Winslow, R. S. Sherman, R. D. Bowden, Sam Savitt and Mrs. Savitt, Keith Goldsmith and Mrs. (Continued on Page Four)

BECAUSE OF ILL HEALTH

E. Carl Moran Abandons Lucrative Position Of O. P. A. State Director

State OPA Director E. C. Moran, Jr. of Rockland Tuesday announced his resignation effective Jan. 15. Under a doctor's care with a severe sinus infection the past few weeks, he said he was forced to leave because of his health.

A former Congressman from the Second Maine District, and later a member of the U. S. Maritime Commission, he was appointed Maine OPA director in May of this year, the first State director named in the country.

Since opening the State office at Augusta in May the organization has grown from 33 local war price and rationing boards with total membership of 89 to 55 boards with 673 members.

Several weeks ago Moran offered his resignation at a meeting of New England State directors in

Boston, giving as his reason delays in carrying out the national program which, he said, handicapped the Maine program. John E. Hamm, deputy national administrator, declined to accept his resignation at that time and announced that Moran was "drafted for the duration."

Moran replied then he would remain on the job "for the time being at least." Tuesday he insisted illness was the sole reason for his move and that his health "will not permit me to accept the responsibility."

"A major part of the success of the OPA program of rationing and price control depends upon our local boards and their members. I know they will continue to serve the people of Maine well and willingly," he said.

SHIP SANK IN FOUR MINUTES

And Chief Officer Woodrow Wilson of Thomaston Was Adrift Ten Days

As calmly and as modestly as though he were describing a trip across Penobscot Bay, Woodrow Wilson of Thomaston stood before the Rockland Lions Club yesterday and told of being ten days adrift on a life raft after the cargo steamer of which he was chief officer had been sunk by a German submarine. At his home in Thomaston, which he is visiting for the first time in a little better than an eventful year, he is receiving congratulations upon his narrow escape.

"It sounds like a terrible experience," said Chief Officer Wilson, "but," shrugging his shoulders, "it wasn't so bad."

He sailed in September on the S.S. Colorado, a 10,500 ton ship, bound for a Persian Gulf port with a cargo which consisted in part of 50 war tanks.

Oct. 9 at 4 a. m. he saw an American liner blown up, and then 30 miles astern another ship was blown up. A few hours later his own ship was struck by a torpedo which spelled its doom.

Boats were hastily lowered, all but six of the ship's occupants being placed safely aboard. The complement contained the officers and crew, numbering 48; and a gun crew of 14 men. The captain would not leave the ship until a thorough search to ascertain if anybody was being left behind.

The captain and Wilson followed the others in separate boats. "Looking back," said Wilson, "I

beheld a sight which I hope never to see again. The Colorado's bow was pointed skyward, and as she started toward the bottom all of her whistles were sounding and the flag was flying straight out in the wind.

"On the tenth day at sea we sighted a coastline, but it was so rough that we made no attempt to land on that coast and finally fell in with a fishing vessel which supplied us with food and drink, and which towed us to the nearest port, where we were looked after by the efficient native Coast Guardsmen. Some of the men were suffering from exposure and lack of exercise, and were hospitalized. I was in a hospital five days.

We arrived at Cape Town Nov. 11, and were supplied with fresh clothing. The hospitals and hotels were full up, so many vessels had been torpedoed in that vicinity. Some of the castaways were quartered at homes for aged people, and some even went to a maternity home. I came back on an American ship, and am prepared to go to sea again as soon as I get an appointment."

Chief Wilson estimates that his life raft covered 400 miles after leaving the sinking ship. He says that the German officers were very courteous to the survivors and furnished them their position. The food in the lifeboats was of the concentrated kind, malted milk tablets, graham crackers, and a concentrated food consisting of raisins, coconut, etc. A little flat vial con-

THE COURIER-GAZETTE

TWICE-A-WEEK

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Subscriptions \$3.00 per year, payable in advance; single copies four cents. Advertising rates based upon circulation and very reasonable. The Rockland Gazette was established in 1846. In 1874 the Courier was established and consolidated with the Gazette in 1882. The Free Press was established in 1855 and in 1891 changed its name to the Tribune. These papers consolidated March 17, 1897.

[EDITORIAL]

The resignation of E. Carl Moran as State Director of the O. P. A., occasions little surprise in view of the ultimatum which he issued a few weeks ago when he voiced his dissatisfaction at the trend of events related to his department. The surprise comes from the cause assigned for definite retirement from the service—ill health. Regarded as especially favored in that respect, his action may be accepted with a degree of skepticism in some quarters, but not so by the editor of this newspaper who was informed several weeks ago of his condition, but who refrained from making the news public for justifiable reasons. In the comparatively brief time he has been in power Mr. Moran has fully justified his appointment, and has done a tremendous amount of valuable work, featured by his almost uncanny knack of creating the necessary organization.

ROMMEL ON THE RUN

In his race for Tunisia, where Marshal Rommel hopes to establish a definite stand, he finds the British troops hot upon his heels, while Allied planes continue to pound his retreat from Libya. What a contrast it all is to the disheartening news which the papers and radio were carrying only a few months ago. This time it is the British who have the enemy on the run, with strong aid from their Allies, and it does not seem that Rommel can survive this concerted push. Should he make an unexpected rally, and should the British suffer reverses after having the game so well in hand, it would be more discouraging than words can tell.

WITHOUT FUSS OR FEATHERS

There's an absence of Christmas spirit on Rockland's main artery—no street lights, no decorations, and, yes, we have no Santa Claus, but the hurrying throngs of shoppers, with arms bulging with packages, tell quietly and effectively that the season is on. Much money is coming to the distribution point through industrial activity and military sources, and it is being expended in well-stocked stores in a manner calculated to bring joy to the recipients here at home and our boys stretched all the way from Africa to Iceland. It's going to be a fine Christmas, after all.

THE HELPING HAND

The work of the Salvation Army, as epitomized in another column, could not be told in many newspaper pages. Neither should it be necessary to tell this "old, old story" for the public has had much opportunity to visualize the splendid work which has been carried on before their eyes. It may not be convenient in passing the Christmas kettles to remove our gloves and unbutton our overcoats in order to procure a nickel or a dime, but isn't "the helping hand worth the trouble?"

THE LIST IS NARROWING

Two Republican leaders who have been regarded as highly probable candidates for the Presidential nomination have already disclaimed any intention of entering the contest. First it was Senator Taft of Ohio, who will support Gov. Bricker of Ohio; now it is Senator Vandenberg of Michigan, who says he expects the nominee to be chosen from "new material."

THE LAST PRACTICE BLACK-OUT

There will be no more practice black-outs in Maine. Any black-outs hereafter will be the real thing, called for by the Army because unidentified planes are dangerously close. Prof. W. H. Sawyer, civilian defense co-ordinator for Androscoggin County, announced today. He also warned that the Army, now in charge of black-out control, would probably be much stricter with industrial plants than civilian defense officials have been. "We have been easy on industries because we did not want to interfere with production. Now that the Army has charge things will be stricter. I think they will make us all black-out," he said.

Much may be said as to the merits and demerits of practice black-outs. Be that as it may they have accomplished their purpose, and it has been a very valuable purpose. Are we now to understand that the next warning signal will be the preface of an actual air raid? Let us fervently pray that day will never come.

tained a meal for two men. The food was so designed as not to create thirst. There were no spirits, as it is claimed they create thirst.

Wilson answered many questions, and gave a brief summary of a world trip which he had made.

Rev. William E. Berger and Coast Guardsman Fincklestein were guests. Vice President Sam Savitt presided in the absence of King Lion Conant, who was in close conference with Santa Claus.

Willis R. Vinal and J. F. Burgess were appointed on the January entertainment committee.

Courier-Gazette Want Ads Work Wonders!

Knox County Fairs

Well Informed E. E. Light Gives Interesting Facts On Them

Union, Dec. 17.

Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—In the latest issue of The Black Cat, I noticed that J. H. Hobbs inquires for dates of the holdings of former fairs in the county. I can inform him that James Dorman, Est. of Union has the entire records of the North Knox Fair Association.

It may be of interest in this connection to state that the first Fair held within the limits of present Knox County, was in Thomaston, held by the Lincoln County Society in 1856, in which we then were a part, and this was probably the predecessor of the present Damariscotta Fair, so-called.

At present the only living member of the original charter members of the North Knox Society is Joseph Vinal of Warren who in his 90's is still "going strong."

E. E. Light.

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The Black Cat



(By The Roving Reporter)

Three columns of news items, under the head of "Working For Victory," made Tuesday's issue of The Courier-Gazette an outstanding one. Imagine the tremendous interest it will have for our boys in the service all over the world, where the paper is read. The best possible Christmas present for them.

Mrs. Percy Jones of St. George, an ardent reader of The Courier-Gazette's "Black Cat," sends word that her cat Peter is still living, and will be 23 years old in March if he is living. She says that he is failing and not as strong.

Mrs. Ellen L. Conant comes promptly to the front with the answer to J. H. Hobbs' query as to when the North Knox Fair was held at Hope Corner. She says the dates were Oct. 8-10, 59 years ago last October. Another reply to Mr. Hobbs awaits publication in Tuesday's issue.

Our reporter Ray Sherman blew into the office yesterday morning, wearing "plus twos," the aforesaid "twos" being ear lappers which he bought at University of Maine in 1902 when he froze his left ear while on the way to classes. Like the stable door which was locked after the horse was stolen he bought the protectors after his ear was frozen, but they have saved the other from following suit.

From North Haven yesterday came Christmas greetings directed "Au Chat Noir." I opened it with much pleasure and am still wondering as to the identity of "Silent Observer." Also the identity of the kind person who sent me that beautiful wreath, fashioned from woody materials.

This Winter, for the first time in the little island's history there is not a human being living at Criehaven. Must be a bit lonesome over there on cold, stormy nights.

Sidney L. Cullen, former reporter and photographer of The Courier-Gazette, is now a managing editor in his own right, holding that position on a neat little magazine known as the "U. S. Coast Guard Patrol," published "for and by the men of the Boston District." It is published monthly, and, judging from the first issue, which reached my desk yesterday, it is going to be a "hummer." It is full of news matter pertaining to that branch of Uncle Sam's military service, real pictures and an abundance of cartoons. Repelling the enemy with one hand and writing Coast Guard editorials with the other is going to keep Sid Cullen pretty busy, but he likes nothing better.

One year ago: The Coast Guard Cutter Kickapoo returned to Rockland in command of Chief Boatswain A. J. Brown—The new dragger Philip & Grace was launched from the Morse yard in Thomaston—Fire on Glen street did \$1000 damage to a house owned by Ralph P. Conant—Several Warren school children were injured when a school bus was in collision with a poultry truck driven by Leslie Smith of Belfast.—Cleveland Sleeper Jr.'s Summer home at Spruce Head was destroyed by fire—Chickawaukie and Mirror lakes were frozen over—Judge Zelma M. Dwinall opened law offices on Main street, Rockland.—Elizabeth Vinal was elected master of Pleasant Valley Grange.

WIN YOUR NAVY WINGS

Youth of Rockland and Vicinity Offered Chance For Entrance Into the Service

It is safe to say that many a young man has indulged in dreams which have to do with the winning of "Navy Wings." That opportunity is now being brought home to the youth of this vicinity, for the Navy needs more young men as air pilots and is going about systematically to obtain them.

Heading that movement locally is Lloyd Daniels, who has promptly acceded to the Navy Department's request to form a Rockland Naval Aviation Committee. The following will serve in that capacity:

Lloyd E. Daniels, jeweler, 66 Talbot avenue.

William A. Koster, manager of Chevrolet Garage, 26 Broad street.

Horatio C. Cowan, manager of General Ice Cream Corporation, 108 Talbot avenue.

Robert A. Webster, deputy sheriff, Court House.

Raymond D. Bowden, Rockland High School faculty, 87 Limerock street.

The purposes of this committee, briefly told, are to interest and

acquaint all eligible young men who are interested in becoming Naval Aviation Cadets. The program calls for 30,000 trained pilots per year. Further information may be obtained from any member of the above committee.

Horatio C. Cowan was re-elected president of the Scout Leaders' Association, Tuesday night at Mr. Cowan's home. Other officers elected were Albert Mills, Jr., vice-president; Donald Brewster, secretary-treasurer. Other officers will be appointed. The next meeting will be held Jan. 15, when the second lesson in Scout Leaders' Training Course will be given by Willis J. Furtwengler of Augusta, field executive, Boy Scouts of America.

YOUR FAVORITE POEM

If I had my life to live again I would have made a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once a week. The loss of these tastes is a loss of happiness.—Charles Darwin.

PRAYER WITHOUT WORDS

Say not a word; be still, and fear to pray. Forego not the great prayer of silence, and say With the great plea of helplessness, No word but vast dependence for thy creed.

This impotence is thy best title, this Ebb of the spirit calls to the seas: The eternal travelling waters of the abyss. And of the height know all their estuaries. This is the last resort, the ultimate claim. The plea that cannot fall when all has failed: The soul whose prayers are mocked, that in the flame. Itself is charred or shattered, here is heard.—Christian Century, 1900

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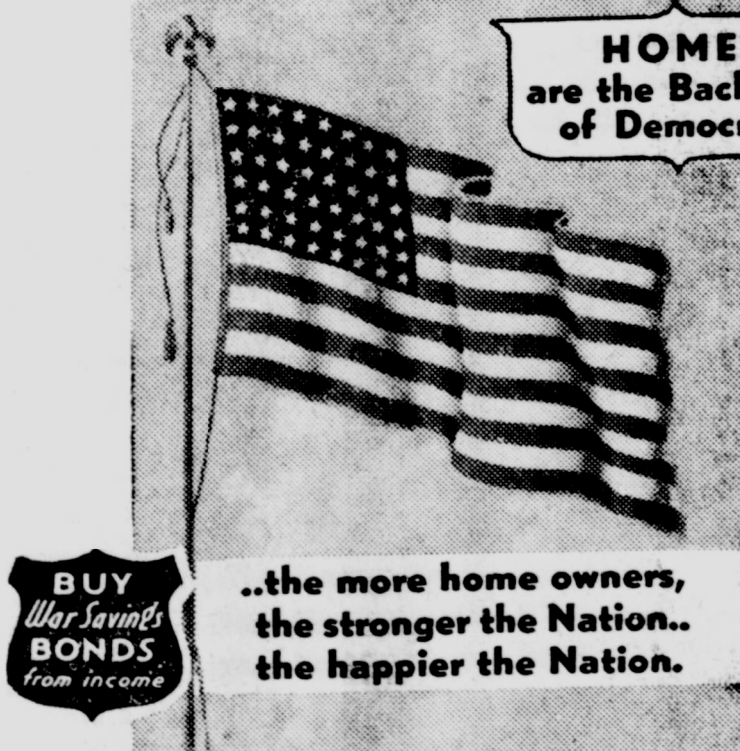
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If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and His love is perfected in us.—1 John 4:12.

Book Review

(By K. S. F.)

Death At Dakar. Author Kerry O'Neil.

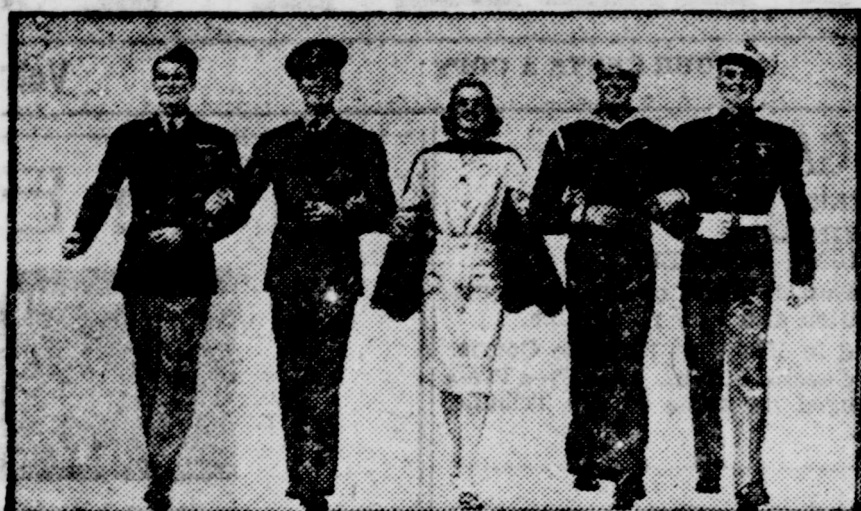
Here comes a thriller from the Crim Club in which an American newspaperwoman trumps her opponent's ace with high finesse. Given birth by that comprehensive association of brilliant publishers Doubleday, Doran & Company, New York. Here is combined murder and much high adventure running through the pages. The tale moves with a speed and refreshingly excellent dialogue that holds the reader with thrills over the impetus of action and manipulated art in the telling.

The reader finds a free-lance war correspondent who trumps one of the Nazis' neatest tricks. The adventure is located in that country of wonder and romance, Rio De Janeiro, and one naturally expects to get excitement to the full from this quarter.

The story is handled with skill interwoven with threads of suspense and drama. When one craves a story of deep mystery to keep one guessing they are sure to look up a crime club current example and they are apt to be perfectly satisfied.

Kathleen S. Fuller

WORKING FOR VICTORY



Corp. Floyd G. Delano, A.S.N., 31027795, Ren. Co., 643rd T. D. Bn., has been at his home in Waldoboro for a few days, from Camp Shelby, Miss., on an emergency furlough, called here by the sudden death of his grandfather, George Delano. He returned this week to Camp Hood, Texas, where he will be stationed for a period of training, his Company having moved there while he was away.

Pvt. Fred Grover is stationed in Philadelphia. His address is Pvt. Fred B. Grover, Btry. A. 601st C. A. (A. A.), Southwark Station, Philadelphia, Penn.

The address of Robert F. Madocks of Burkettville is: 98th Signal Co. A. P. O. 98th Division, Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

Pvt. Robert L. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Smith, 73 Summer street, Rockland, entered the

Bomb. Group, Biggs Field, El Paso, Texas.

William A. Searles of Rockland has been transferred from Port McKinley, Portland, to Bayonne, N. J.

Pvt. John M. Emerson of Rockland may be addressed: Battery K., 601st Co. A. (A. A.), Southwark Station, Philadelphia, Penna.

Miss Claire Brickley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Brickley, Spring street, has received a post card from Pfc. Charley Harrington, of Bangor, who formerly visited Rockland as salesman-driver for the manufacturers of Educational Crackers. A 9-piece "orchestra" is depicted, with the title, "Types Nova-Africans." Pvt. Harrington wrote Miss Brickley: "Hi Claire: How do you like this picture? It is really quite a band? I am now in North Africa and will write your daddy soon. I hope that Santa will be very nice to you and I know that he will be, because you are a nice little girl. I will bring you a present when I return to the U. S."

Pvt. Oliva J. Lampinen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ansean Lampinen of Thomaston, who is in the Coast Artillery is stationed at Philadelphia, Penn. His address is: Battery K, 601st C. A. (A. A.), Southwark Station, Philadelphia, Penn.

Pvt. Clayton A. Pales of South Warren who has been stationed at Farris Island, S. C., has been transferred and his new address is: Platoon 918 16th Sep. Rec. Bn., F.M.F.—N.R.T.C., New River, S. C.

Pvt. Lloyd S. Maxey of South Warren has completed his studies at the Perry Institute, Yakima, Wash., and his address now is 94th

employed as a ship fitter. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lane, Rockport, Me.

Sgt. Erwin F. Chase, formerly with 240th C. A. is now stationed in Georgia. His address is Battery C., 454th Bn. C. A., A. A. Camp Stewart.

Apprentice Seaman Elmer E. Conary, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Conary, of 59 Crescent street, Rockland, a recent recruit-graduate of the U. S. Naval Training Station at Newport, has been selected for enrollment in a Navy school for Motor Machinist's Mates. Conary, who enlisted in the Naval Reserve for war service, was employed as a millman at the Snow Shipyards. At Motor Machinist's Mate's School, he will learn to operate and maintain internal combustion engines; overhaul engine auxiliaries; and plan and supervise engineering repairs.

Robert E. Riggs, Seaman Second Class, stationed at Two Bush Island the past nine months has been transferred to Norfolk, Va., and left here Wednesday. When on leave, Mr. Riggs visited several times at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon G. Gray.

Pvt. Bowdoin Miller of Warren, ill the past month at the hospital at Fort Dix, N. J., has recovered sufficiently so that he is able to be up and about some at the hospital.

Pvt. Barrett Clark, formerly of Warren, who is with the Quartermaster Corps, U. S. Army, is now

Killed In Action

Navy Department Sends the News of Walter Hutchinson; Relatives In This City

From the Deer Isle Messenger is clipped this item concerning a young man with several relatives in this city.

Capt. and Mrs. Walter T. Hutchinson of Little Deer Isle have just received the following telegram: "The Navy Department deeply regrets to inform you that your son Walter Timothy Hutchinson, Jr., Coxswain U. S. Naval Reserves was killed in action in the performance of his duty and in the service of his country. The Department extends to you its sincerest sympathy in your great loss. Recovery of remains impossible."

located at Alpena, Mich. He was transferred there from Camp Lee, Va., and had received part of his basic training at Camp Gordon, Augusta, Ga.

Earl L. Hamilton, Jr., of Vinalhaven, U. S. Navy, on furlough has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton, Vinalhaven. On his way back to duty, he visited his aunt, Mrs. Earl Simmons of Rockland.

The address of Pvt. Clarence Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Butler of Rockland, is: U. S. Army, 1139th Tech. Sch. Sq. T. S. No. 106, Special Training Unit, A.A.F.T.C.B.T.C. No. 9, Miami Beach, Fla.

If further details are received you will be promptly informed.

Rear Admiral Randal Jacobs, Chief of Naval Personnel, Sincere sympathy goes out to the family in the passing of this fine young man.

Walter was born on Little Deer Isle in August, 21 years ago. He graduated from McKinley High School in the class of 1940. He enlisted in the Naval Reserves a year ago, going overseas about seven months ago.

Besides his parents he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Harriet Stevens of Auburn, Mass.; three brothers, Edward, 2nd mate in the merchant marine, who had a narrow escape when his ship was torpedoed and sunk in Far Eastern waters, and Elwell and Gerald at home.

Young Hutchinson was a nephew of Mrs. Mary Webster Powers, Mrs. Anna Titus Eaton, Mrs. Alice Ken-

nedy, Mrs. Charles Winslow and Mrs. May Gardner of this city.



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Shrimp LB 29¢
Whiting LB 13¢
Bloaters EA 19¢
Pollock SLICED LB 19¢
Oysters PINT 43¢
Halibut LB 31¢
Salmon LB 33¢

FLORIDA ORANGES
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GRAPEFRUIT
FLORIDA JUICY 5 FOR 25¢
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Cranberry SAUCE JAR 16¢
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TALK OF THE TOWN



Dec. 18—Methuen Club with Mrs. Minnie Rogers, street.
Dec. 18-Jan. 4—Vacation city schools.
Dec. 19—Knox County Association meets.
Dec. 22—Christmas play, Grumpy Santa Claus by Girl Scouts at Community.
Dec. 25—Christmas.
Dec. 29—Special election drama in Ward 5.

It would be appreciated would telephone or bring items of Rockland news paper as early as possible phone during the day 770 times to "Ray" Sherman porter, 1168

The night sessions at Business School were yesterday and day sessions Dec. 24, for the Holiday night and days schools at Jan. 4.

A fish chowder dinner served Dec. 22 at 1000 auspices Miriam Rebekah

The annual Christmas party of St. Bernard's choir will be held Sunday the home of Mrs. M. M. Grove street.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

Coming Events

Dec. 18—Methuen Club meets with Mrs. Minnie Rogers, Amesbury street.
Dec. 18—Jan. 4—Vacation of the city schools.
Dec. 19—Knox County Ministerial Association meets.
Dec. 22—Christmas play, "The Grumpy Santa Claus" by Brownie Girl Scouts at Community Building.
Dec. 23—Christmas.
Dec. 29—Special election for Alderman in Ward 5.

It would be appreciated if you would telephone or bring in items of Rockland news for this paper as early as possible. Telephone during the day 770; other times to "Ray" Sherman, reporter, 1168.

The night sessions at Ballard Business School were suspended yesterday and day sessions will end Dec. 24 for the holidays. Both night and day schools will re-open Jan. 4.

A fish chowder dinner is to be served Dec. 22 at I.O.F. Hall, auspices Miriam Rebekah Lodge.

The annual Christmas Tree party of St. Bernard's Church choir will be held Sunday night at the home of Mrs. Donald Perry, Grove street.

Donations for those at the City Farm, West Meadow road, may be left at the office of the overseer of the poor, City building.

Go to Edna Payson, 445 Main St. for Christmas Cards. Will be there every afternoon until Christmas.

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Our Christmas Issue

Because Christmas Day falls on Friday, the issue of the Courier-Gazette intended for that day will go to press next Thursday. Advertisers, correspondents and other contributors are requested to keep this in mind in order that the newspaper staff may enjoy the holiday in common with others.

Babbidge Photograph studio is closed owing to illness of the proprietor, Adelbert L. Babbidge.

BORN

Dow—At Knox Hospital, Dec. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Samuel Dow, a daughter—Rebecca Ann.

Holmes—At Rockland, Dec. 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Holmes, a daughter—Alice Louise.

Armstrong—At Rockland, Nov. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. George L. Armstrong, a son—George L. Jr.

Dinmore—At Rockland, Dec. 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard A. Dinmore, a son—Arthur Francis.

Revere—At Rockland, Dec. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wesley Brann, a son—Raymond Wesley Jr.

Wallace—At Knox Hospital, Dec. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace of Waldoboro, a son.

MacQuarrie—At Stoughton, Nov. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Francis MacQuarrie, a daughter—Sandra Elaine.

Beverage—At North Haven, Dec. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Elston Beverage, a son—Raymond Albert.

Observe—At Friendship, Dec. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Osborne, a daughter—Alberta Victoria.

Robinson—At Oceanville, Dec. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, a son—Richard Eugene.

MARRIED

Gaines-Richardson—At Rockland, Dec. 17, Elwood S. Gaines of Nevada, Missouri and Virginia Richardson of Rockland—by Rev. J. Charles MacDonald.

MacMan-Woodner—At Worcester, Mass., Nov. 21, Harrison MacMan formerly of Rockland and Miss Blanche A. Woodner of Worcester, Mass.

Allen-Arling—At Rockland, Dec. 16, Owen E. Allen of Rockland and Phyllis Arling of Maiden, Mass.—by Rev. J. Charles MacDonald.

Alley-Warren—At Vinalhaven, Dec. 15, Raymond Alley and Miss Mary L. Warren, both of Vinalhaven—by Rev. C. S. Mitchell.

DIED

Shibles—At Bangor, Dec. 11, Ross Shibles, formerly of Thomaston, age 62 years, 7 months, 26 days. Burial in village cemetery, Thomaston.

Hall—At Rockland, Dec. 17, Simon H. Hall, age 93 years, 5 months, 18 days. Funeral Saturday 2 p. m. from Burpee funeral home.

Stover—At Brockton, Mass., Dec. 15, Alden A. Stover, aged 82. Services at the Tirrell & Russell funeral home, 43 White avenue, Brockton, 2. Interment in Achnor cemetery, Rockland.

Patridge—At West Upton, Mass., Dec. 9, Fred L. Patridge formerly of Rockville, age 61 years, 8 months, 9 days. Burial in Achnor cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of my brother Edwin G. Ludwig who passed away Dec. 16, 1934.
"Worthy of everlasting remembrance"
Thomaston. Mrs. William T. Smith

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of our mother, Mrs. Nellie Sidelinger who died Dec. 20, 1933.
Mrs. Ruth Minot, Mrs. Elaine Doak and Mrs. Dorothy Wooster, Thomaston.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our gratitude to all our neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness shown us during the illness and death of our husband and father, especially Reverend Mr. MacDonald and Mr. Overman, Mrs. Rachel Kenney, R. N. Doctors North, Brown and Allen, and Mr. Russell and Mrs. Crozier.

Bernice E. Leach, Anita C. Edkins and family, Donald and Harold Leach and families.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to express my thanks and sincere appreciation for the numerous tokens of friendship and good will regarding my birthday anniversary recently observed.
Elmer E. Light, Union

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank the mill workers and other friends for their kindness. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dunton, Rockport.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our friends, members of the Methodist Church for expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes, and others for their help and assistance in our recent bereavement.
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lawler, Arthur G. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest M. Malloch, Mrs. Olive E. Kelzer.

Miss Mabel A. Pillsbury, 37 Lime-rock street will be pleased to help you fill your candy orders for Christmas. TEL. 782-J. 114-115

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Mrs. Ida Leonard has been elected president of Ralph Oliver Camp Auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans. Other officers elected at annual meeting were: Mrs. Anne Bennett, senior vice-president; Mrs. Emma Allen, junior vice-president; Mrs. Carla Kirk, chaplain; Mrs. Minnie Smith, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Marjory Thorndike, historian; Mrs. Jessie Wall, conductor and Mrs. Annie Trundy, assistant instructor. Officers will be installed at next meeting, Jan. 13, with Mrs. Minnie Smith, installing officer.

Francis Morris of St. George was before Judge Dwinall in Municipal Court Tuesday charged with speeding on Route 1 between Thomaston and Rockland Monday. He pleaded guilty and paid \$10 and costs of \$2.70. His license was suspended for 10 days.

R. C. Wentworth, county agent in Knox and Lincoln counties since 1920, is one of 75 county agents throughout the United States recognized for meritorious service at a convention of the National Association of County Agricultural Agents in Chicago. Bertram Tomlinson, Barnstable, Mass., was another county agent honored. He was at one time county agent in Washington county, Me.

The City Matron is asking for toys and games for her family—these not necessarily be new—but usable. Also warm stockings and mittens are needed badly. Articles may be left at her office on Spring street.

An automobile belonging to E. H. Lindsey, employed at Bath Iron Works, stored at Rockland Garage, was somewhat damaged by fire shortly after 7 o'clock this morning. Chief Van E. Russell reported that the front end was accidentally ignited by one of the garagemen who was making repairs. A serious fire was averted by quick response by the fire department.

The loan of two Singer sewing machines for use in the Red Cross Sewing Room, over V. A. Leach's store, would be appreciated. Anyone having a machine which they will loan for this important work, should contact Mrs. Llewella Mills, telephone 46-W.

Sons of Union Veterans Auxiliary, at its annual meeting Wednesday night, elected the following officers: Mrs. Elizabeth Vinal, president; Mrs. Nellie McKee, vice president; Mrs. Doris Ames, treasurer; Mrs. Mae Cross, Mrs. Helen Paladino and Mrs. Velma Marsh, trustees; Mrs. Helen Paladino, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Carrie Winchenbaugh, chaplain; Mrs. Margaret Rackliff, guide; Mrs. Frances Morse, associate guide; Mrs. Mildred Sprague and Mrs. Stella McRae, color guards; Mrs. Harriet Thomas, inside guard; Mrs. Beulah Larabee, outside guard; and Mrs. Gladys Murphy, press correspondent. The secretary, counselor and musician will be appointed. Mrs. Florence Fairbrother of Camden, department installing officer, is to be invited to conduct the installation, which will be held jointly with the Sons of Union Veterans, Jan. 6. Shut-ins will be remembered at Christmas. Supper was served under direction of Mrs. Stella McRae.

A Harvard Historian's War Book—begins in the Dec. 20 Boston Sunday Advertiser. Tells what we are fighting for, our losses and victories, and how the war has changed our lives. 114-11

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The Weather

Skeptical persons who don't believe the weather reports they hear over the radio are forced to admit that the broadcasters were right when they foretold a cold wave Wednesday. Yesterday morning found many of the skeptics staring with unbelieving eyes at temperatures which read as cold as 20 below at Tolvo Helvi's, West Meadow Rd., and 26 below at East Union. All of which summed up to the coldest day in this vicinity since 1934, and it will be o. k. by this writer if it isn't duplicated again until 2034. Warnings to convert oil-burners into coal furnaces, which went unheeded during the hot weather of last July, came sadly home to roost on the part of those who failed to convert. One week from today is Christmas, and one week from tomorrow you may add another minute to the day's length. Have you shopped?

The H. Laton Jacksons, coming here from Norway, are moving today to the Arthur L. Rokes, house 130 Limerock street, recently bought by Mr. Jackson, assistant division superintendent of Central Maine Power Co.

George F. Ryan is employed for the Holiday season at the store of B. L. Segal.

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More Talk of the Town on Page 6.

Harry E. Fitzgerald, who has been conducting the Sea Grill Cafe, Main street, the past seven years, has taken over the Colonial Hotel, Belfast, and will assume management Jan. 1. The house has 31 rooms; a combination cocktail lounge and dining room and small lunch room. The Fitzgeralds will move to Belfast early in the year. They have two sons in the service, Walter L. in Aviation, stationed in Texas, and Alvah, attending a mechanical school in New York. Three children are at home: Alice, Marion and Norman.

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The skating rink at Community Park will be ready for use during the Christmas vacation. The lighting system will be changed to conform to civilian defense requirements. The hockey rink will not be maintained because of the extra expense. It will be necessary to increase the price of season tickets and single admissions to meet increased cost of maintenance. Walter Spear will again be in charge of this important activity. He has performed this job most efficiently for several years. Hundreds of boys and girls have enjoyed healthful outdoor recreation at the rink since its humble start 12 years ago. Probably no other outdoor activity in the city has had a finer recreational record than this skating rink. It has been maintained through all these years by the efforts of the Rockland High School pupils.

Rev. and Mrs. Francis E. Whiting of Monrovia, N. Y., will leave early next week, but Mr. Whiting did not know last night just where he would serve in the ministry next. He has been in Rockland since September as associate pastor of the First Baptist Church, taking over Rev. J. Charles MacDonald's services and parish work while he was ill. Mr. MacDonald, who has been reassuming his duties little by little the past two weeks, is now fully recovered. Mrs. Whiting, the former Miss Luella Grace Patterson, who has been organist, choir director and religious workers the past two years, has made many friends while she has been here, and will be missed by old and young alike. Osmond A. Palmer, chairman of the music committee of the church, said this morning that as yet no one had been secured to take Mrs. Whiting's place.

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Rev. Ernest O. Kenyon, is to give a Christmas message at the joint meeting of the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs at the Hotel Rockland, Monday night.

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Correspondent
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Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Reed of Portland, were week-end guests of Mrs. Reed's sister, Miss Grace Simmons.

Dewey Moody a student at the U. of M., was at home over the week-end.

Miss Frances Achorn and Alden Gleason, who passed the Summer in town and at Martin's Point, went last Friday to Walnut Creek, Calif., for the winter.

Miss Sarah Ashworth is at home from St. Johnsbury, Vt., for a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Phyllis Mank, employed at Plainville, Conn., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Lillian Mank.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cooney are in New York for a short time.

John Kennedy, who is employed in Portland, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kennedy.

Brown's Restaurant has closed after 20 years' service.

Mrs. Harold Perry will hold a Christmas tree for the Browns, a younger branch of the Girl Scouts, Monday afternoon at her home on Pleasant street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson of Manchester, N. H. are at the home of his mother, Mrs. Cora Johnson, for the winter.

Lawrence Davis is confined to his home by illness. His son Keith is taking his place on the milk delivery.

Mrs. Maurice Jenness returned Saturday from Knox Hospital. She is convalescing at the home of Dr. G. H. Coombs.

The trustees of the Methodist Church, Thursday voted to accept the gift of \$9000 left by the late Guy Levensaler, a former merchant in town. Mr. Levensaler's parents, were active members of the church.

Mrs. I. S. Bailey of Overbrook Hills, Pa., is guest for a few days of her mother, Mrs. Maude Clark Gay.

The subject of the sermon by Rev. H. L. Holt at the Baptist Church Sunday morning will be "The Prince of Peace." In the evening there will be a children's concert and Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Creamer

of Washington were guests last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. John Burgess.

Gerald Hilton of the Navy is enjoying a ten days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hilton.

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Ashworth and George Ashworth went Wednesday to Castine.

SOUTH HOPE

The Sunday School will have a Christmas tree and program Dec. 22 at 7 o'clock at the Advent Church.

Mrs. David Hemenway, with Mrs. James Doman of East Union attended the funeral of Mrs. Leland Hemenway in Newton Center, Mass.

Schools close today for the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. Clara Hemenway

Mrs. Clara Hemenway, wife of Prof. Leland D. Hemenway of Newton Center, Mass., died Nov. 29 after a short illness of pneumonia.

Deceased was born in Millbridge, daughter of Hiram and Cora Hinckley. A graduate of Millbridge High School and Colby College, she became a teacher and was on the faculty of Rockland High School.

In 1919 she was married to Leland Hemenway of this town, and of this union three children were born—Curtis, who graduated this year from Colby College; Myra, a student in the Junior High School of Newton; and Cora, who died at the age of three.

Mrs. Hemenway was a member of the First Congregational Church of Newton and was active in the women's work of that church. She was a kind, loving wife and mother and endeared herself to all with whom she came in contact.

Funeral services were held at the Congregational Church in Newton, with Rev. Mr. Boynton officiating. Many beautiful flowers showed the love and respect of friends and neighbors. Committal services were held in West Rockport conducted by Rev. Roy Welker of the Rockland Congregational Church.

Other survivors are her father, Hiram Hinckley of Millbridge; two sisters, Mrs. Myra Sawyer of Millbridge and Mrs. Helen Webb of Texas.

LONG COVE

At St. George's Church the Church school meets at the parish hall at 3:30; vespers and sermon in the church at 4 p. m.

WARREN

ALBENA L. STARRRETT
Correspondent
Tel. 40

Word has been received here of the sudden death last week of Severt Gulaker in Medford, Mass.

Miss Glenice French, who attends the Maine School of Commerce in Bangor, is spending the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. Clark French.

The Malcolm Corner School pupils have set up a Christmas tree for the birds in a sheltered corner of the school yard. The tree has been made gay with strings of cranberries, popcorn, and dried grape fruit halves filled with fine cracked grain.

Mrs. Emma Norwood is guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Barron and Mrs. Nellie Ludden.

Mrs. Carrie Wyllie, who is ill, is improving.

Mrs. Nettie Jameson is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chester Robinson, in South Manchester, Conn.

Mrs. Edwin Emerson is in Lynn, Mass., to attend the wedding of her daughter, Rachel, who will become the bride this afternoon of her manager, Harold Bliss Durant at the Unitarian Church.

"How Jesus Was Received by Men in His Time" will be the morning topic Sunday at the Congregational Church. A Christmas pageant will be given by the choir and Sunday school at 4 o'clock. Sunday school session will be at 9:30.

A Christmas party was held Thursday after school at the home of Mrs. Lucile Crockett, at the meeting of Happy-Go-Luckies 4-H Club. This will be the final meeting of the Club until after the holidays. At the previous meeting, Miss Lucinda Rich, home demonstration agent, demonstrated the making of Christmas centerpieces for holiday tables, and also the making of holiday wreaths.

Proceeds from the High School plays and the candy sold last Friday were \$94.50, and after the expenses were deducted, amounted to \$15 for each class. Proceeds of the dance was \$12 and was given to the Senior class, sponsor.

Rev. A. S. Bishop will deliver a Christmas message Sunday morning at the Baptist Church. Special Christmas music will also be included in the service. At 7 p. m. the junior choir will present the three part, treble Christmas cantata, "The Music of Bethlehem," with Chester Wyllie in charge and Mrs. Chester Wyllie, the accompanist. Miss Dorothy Bishop, talented reader, will give a Christmas reading. Church school will meet at 12.

The meeting of E. A. Starrrett Auxiliary, S.U.V., will be omitted next week.

Mrs. Annie A. Spear suffered a broken right arm in a fall Sunday.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE THOMASTON NATIONAL BANK

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Thomaston National Bank will be held at their banking rooms Tuesday, January 12, 1943, at 10:00 o'clock, A. M. for the purpose of fixing the number and electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

Per order,
HAROLD F. DANA,
Cashier.

Thomaston, Me., Dec. 7, 1942.
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MEDOMAK

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thompson and children of Friendship visited Sunday with Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orin McLain. Mrs. Evie Merchand of Thomaston was guest Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Teale.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shuman visited recently with Mrs. Shuman's mother in Cushing.

Mrs. Martha Prior and son, Horace, Stacey Prior and Amy Willey were callers Sunday at Astor Miller's in Dutch Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Teele and Robert were visitors Sunday at the home of Mrs. Teele's sister in Rockland.

Miss Addie McLain is spending a few days with her sister in Friendship.

Mrs. Florence Oster and Mrs. Viola McLain were Damariscotta visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Freda Collamore has returned home after a visit with her sister in Muscongus.

Horace Prior was in Portland, Saturday.

Vernard Prior, Astor Willey, Lester Teele, Horace Prior, Burton Teele and Stacey Prior have employment at the Sample Shipyard in Boothbay Harbor.

FRIENDSHIP

Christmas Sunday will be observed at the Methodist Church, Rev. Walter A. Smith, pastor, Dec. 20, in this manner: Worship, 10:30 with special music and sermon, "Good Tidings of Great Joy," 11:45 a. m. Sunday School; 7:30 p. m. Christmas service, "Jesus the Light of the World." The annual Christmas tree and exercises will be held Wednesday at 7 p. m. Rehearsal of the children taking part will be at 3 o'clock.

Miss Dorothy Haskell of Weeks Mills is caring for Mrs. Victor Osborne and infant daughter. Miss Dorothy Twitchell, sister of Mrs. Osborne, is serving as housekeeper.

Mrs. Laura Poland, who was in Medford, Mass., for an indefinite stay, has returned home, called by business.

Mrs. Rita Wallace of Warren was guest Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wincepaw.

Mrs. Dora Miller of Waldoboro is passing the winter with her niece, Mrs. George Cook.

Plans are being made for a children's Christmas tree and concert at the Adventist Church, date to be announced.

E. J. Beckell has returned from Magee Island where he was employed eight months.

Cars of Albion Wotton and Ernest Burns were in collision last Friday on Davis Point. Both cars were badly damaged but the occupants escaped except for a severe shaking-up.

Ralph Winchenbach and Carl Pales have employment in Bath. Mrs. Edith Stevens of Cushing is employed at the home of Mrs. Albion Wotton.

CUSHING

Service Christmas Sunday at the Broad Cove Church, Rev. Walter A. Smith, pastor will be at 2:30, sermon, "Good Tidings of Great Joy." Sunday School will be at 1:45 p. m. The annual Sunday School and community Christmas tree, with exercises and pageantry, will be held in the Grange hall Tuesday.

Buy War Savings Bonds and Stamps

Skillin Gave Advice

(Continued from Page One)

Goldsmith, E. L. Brown, H. P. Blodgett, C. M. Benson, C. F. Joy, Dr. B. E. Flanders, E. O. Gonia, V. E. Russell, S. C. Perry, W. F. Senter, R. C. Perry, Carl Griffith, E. D. Chisholm, T. H. Chisholm, Raymond Chisholm, A. L. Orne, Joseph Phenix, J. A. Moore, H. B. Bird, M. T. Whalen, C. R. Clarke, H. L. Jackson, E. B. Crockett, Frank Nute, R. F. Conant, A. F. Lamb, E. J. Heller, R. P. Conant, M. F. Lovejoy, I. L. Bray, Com. G. H. Reed, Alvin French, Edward Barnard, J. A. Jameson, B. A. Gardner and G. B. Orcutt.

When President Jones cast about for a guest speaker at this banquet he hit the bullseye by selecting Carroll T. Skillin, a Portland attorney of 33 years' experience, who is president of the State Chamber, a director of the State of Maine Publicity Bureau and a past president of the Portland Lions Club.

A country boy, to use his own expression—reared on a farm out Yarmouth way, and still interested in tilling the farm he owns there.

Mr. Skillin is not a spread eagle orator—on the contrary he can be listed as soft-spoken—but what he says is generally straight from the shoulder, and he said some of it Tuesday night when he declared the sales tax to be the soundest and fairest tax concerned; when he declared that tax on real estate should be based on sales value; and when he condemned "labor racketeering and unauthorized strikes."

"They say I will get shot if I talk this way," declared Mr. Skillin. "Well, let 'em shoot; I am going to have my say."

The speaker said he had been told that the Rockland Chamber of Commerce was one of the most active in the State, and the reports to which he had just listened convinced him this must be so. Hope was expressed that the Chamber of Commerce "will prepare itself for the days ahead." Lack of interest in elections, and the failure of citizens to accept public office were criticized.

"The draft is in order," said Mr. Skillin; "we must take up our burden, and do our job, whatever it is. Do it, do your part, and do it cheerfully."

The speaker expressed himself forcefully when he declared that if we answered all of the questions the government is sending out we wouldn't find time for anything else, and that we might well rebel at having these things "rammed down our throats."

Expressing himself with equal force on the subject of labor troubles, Mr. Skillin recalled the telegram the late Calvin Coolidge sent to Congress, declaring that "the right to strike against public safety, anywhere, anytime," was contrary to general interest.

"All of us have kindly feelings toward labor and the benefits it has a right to enjoy," said the speaker, "but it should be exercised wisely. Leadership of these organizations has been poor and not for the best interests of the men. It makes my blood boil when they stop work in the shipyards and munitions plants. I cannot understand this 'holier than thou' attitude; they have got to be brought into line somehow."

In the course of his extended address Mr. Skillin declared that the country is suffering too much from undue regulations; that if we win the war we can have the greatest prosperity ever known on the face of the earth; that there is no such thing as over-production; that we have got to have an adjustment of taxation.

President Jones in conclusion pledged himself to do his level best for the city the coming year—a pledge scarcely necessary to those who know of his valiant and persistent efforts.

SOUTH HOPE

The bells of the Universalist Church will ring Christmas Sunday at the time of the service in the Advent chapel.

There was no school Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday as the teacher, Mrs. Beulah Nealey, was ill with a cold.

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CORNER DRUG STORE

STONINGTON

Corp. William Fifield has been home on furlough from Camp Davis, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gray have returned to New London.

John Conley of Belfast passed the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Knowlton.

Mrs. George Lufkin of Medford was a recent visitor here.

Patricia Fifield passed Sunday with her sister, Pauline.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stinson, Beverly Stinson, Mrs. Dennis Robbins and Norman Robbins have gone to California, Md. Mr. Robbins and Lewis Small are employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Torrey have moved here for the winter and are occupying the Philip Crockett house.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Conley of Belfast spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Colby.

Frank Jones passed the week-end with his family here. His son, Albert and Galen Thompson accompanied him Monday to Belfast.

EAST WALDOBORO

Mr. and Mrs. William Day and son, Donald of Bath were guests Sunday at Ivan Scott's.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Jameson of Camden were supper guests Sunday at J. O. Jameson's, enroute from Leroy Jameson's in Bath.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Orr and daughter, Elsa, and Mrs. Marion Dives were visitors Sunday at J. L. Flanders.

William Burns, Gardner Mank and Raymond Simmons motored Wednesday to Portland. Mr. Burns remained at the Eye & Ear Infirmary for treatment.

Harry Whitehill and T. Irving Sawyer of Thomaston were callers last Friday at L. L. Mank's.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Moody of Rockland visited Sunday at Miss Ellie Mank's.

Carl Wren, who has employment in Hallowell, was at home for the week-end.

Mrs. Reddington Delano of South Waldoboro and son, Corp. Floyd Delano of Camp Shelby, Miss., were callers last Friday at Mrs. L. Mank's.

Pvt. David Oxton of Westover Field, Chicopee Falls, Mass., is at home on a six-day furlough.

RAZORVILLE

Mrs. Louise Ames went Sunday to Boston to visit her sister, Mrs. Marguerite Payson who has been receiving hospital treatment there.

Mrs. Sarah B. Day of Union was recent dinner guest of her aunt, Mrs. Maud Howard.

Schools close today for the Christmas recess.

The Eastern Star has invited the Village School pupils to present a pageant Sunday night at the Masonic hall.

Rev. Harold Nutter was a visitor here last Friday enroute to Waldoboro where he held a former pastorate.

Dr. Gross has recovered from effects of a hunting accident which caused him to remain in the hospital for a few days.

WARRANT FOR CITY ELECTION

STATE OF MAINE

CITY OF KNOX, SS.

To Laurence K. Mansfield, Constable of the City of Rockland:

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine, to notify and warn the inhabitants of WARD FIVE, of the City of Rockland, qualified to vote, to assemble at the PURCHASE STREET SCHOOL BUILDING, in said Ward, on the TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF DECEMBER, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes for Aldermen, for the unexpired municipal term ending January 1, A. D. 1944.

The polls will open at seven o'clock in the forenoon and close at seven o'clock in the afternoon. The board of registration will be in session at their room in the City Building on—

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday December 17, 18, 19, 21, 22 and 23, A. D. 1942

from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M., 3 to 5 P. M., and 7 to 9 P. M. for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

HEREOF, FAIL NOT and have you there and then this warrant with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands in the City of Rockland, this SEVENTH day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

(Signed) Edward R. Veazie, Mayor.

John J. Perry,

Mervin P. Harriman,

Francis D. Orne,

Raymond C. Perry,

C. M. Havener,

Louis R. Cates,

Aldermen of the City of Rockland.

E. R. Keene,

Clerk of the City of Rockland.

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STATE OF MAINE

List of Candidates to be voted for at the Special City Election, December 29, 1942, in

WARD FIVE

CITY OF ROCKLAND

Penalty for wilfully defacing, tearing down or destroying a list of candidates or a specimen ballot, five to one hundred dollars fine.

E. R. KEENE, City Clerk.

LIST OF CANDIDATES

REPUBLICAN

FOR ALDERMAN

ARTHUR F. LAMB

22 Pleasant Street, Ward Five

DEMOCRAT

FOR ALDERMAN

WILLIAM J. SULLIVAN

99 Pleasant Street, Ward Five

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Special Notice: All "blind ads" so called i. e. advertisements which require the answers to be sent to The Courier-Gazette office for handling, cost 25 cents additional.

LOST AND FOUND

TIGER-Striped kitten lost, half-grown. Answers to "Jimmie." C. H. CUTBERTSON, 19 Ocean St. Tel. 920-M. 114-11

TWO pictures lost on Main St. Notify FRED WALDO, Port Clyde. 114-11

SOUTH WARREN

Alvah Spear, Herbert Morgan, Russell Pales and Howard Maxcy went Sunday to Portland and from there accompanied E. C. Cutting to New York where they will assist the latter in the sale of Christmas trees.

Work has begun on the foundation of a cannery at the State Farm Barracks.

Mrs. Lula Libby was called last Friday to Auburn by the Johnson tragedy. The principals were tenants in the house owned and occupied by Mrs. Libby's brother, Fred Folsom.

WEST WALDOBORO

Miss Althea Hilton is employed at the 10 and 10 cent store during the Christmas season.

Mark Smith of Marblehead, Mass., and Leonard Bedwell of Salem, Mass., were in town over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Winchenbach and daughter Eleanor were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Chase of Chamberlain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheffield, Mrs. Viola Kuhn, Mrs. Harlow Genthner and Owen Winslow were Portland visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Arnold Standish visited Wednesday with Mrs. Ida Waltz and Mrs. Melvin Genthner at Gross Neck.

NOTICE

The Board of Registration of the City of Rockland, Maine, will be in session at their room in the City Building, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Dec. 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 from nine in forenoon to one o'clock in the afternoon, and from three to five o'clock in the afternoon and from seven to nine o'clock in the evening, war time, to receive evidence touching the qualifications of voters in said city, and to verify the correctness of the lists of voters, Dec. 24, 26, 28. No names will be added for the Ward Five Special City Election Dec. 29. No applications for Absent Voting Ballots or Physical Incapacity Ballots will be approved after five o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, Dec. 28, 1942, when this session closes. Per order of the Board of Registration.

By FRANK W. FULLER, Chairman. 113-114

EGGS AND CHICKS

WANT GREATER PRODUCTION—Eggs or Meat? Buy better chicks from Clements. Reds, Rocks, Cream-Cross pullets, cockerels. Maine-Cross Pullets, Clean. Pullet chicks available in all breeds; 4 farms co-operating to save you money. Write today. CLEMENTS BROS. FARMS, Rt. 33, Winterport, Maine.

WANTED

HOUSEKEEPER wanted, middle age or elderly; 19 HYLER ST. Thomaston. 114-117

RELIABLE hustler wanted to supply consumers with 200 household necessities. State age, occupation, references. RAWLEIGH'S, Dept. MEI-12-Y, Albany, N. Y. 114-11

SEVERAL hundred pullets wanted, near laying or just started. M. J. MALONEY South Cushing. 114-115

CHEL or woman wanted for general housework. TEL. 1198-M. 113-114

ANGORA kittens wanted, good coated, state age, sex and color. HOVE-STADT'S PET SHOP, 78 Canal St., Boston. 113-114

BELL-boy wanted. THORNIDKE HOTEL. 104-11

NATIVE Eggs wanted. Write us for particulars or telephone 147-2. Waldoboro, Maine. BURNHEIMER BROS., North Waldoboro. 109-

THOMASTON

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ADELLE M. ROSS  
Correspondent  
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Tel. 94

Miss Elizabeth Pales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Foster Pales of Thomaston, has recently been honored by her election as a pledge to Gamma Sigma Chapter of Alpha Iota, National Honorary Business Sorority at the Fisher Business School, Somerville, Mass. This is a great honor, due to the fact that the selection of members is made on the basis of scholarship and leadership.

The Pentecostal Mission announces that it has no solicitors. Persons wishing to make donations are asked to contact the pastor, Rev. Mildred McLean.

The Baptist Ladies Circle served supper Wednesday, the housekeepers, in charge of the president, Mrs. H. H. Newbert, being: Mrs. Addie Jones, Mrs. Ruby Hall, Mrs. Gladys Condon, Mrs. Annie Mank, Misses Ruth Butler and Phyllis Hall. The program, arranged by Mrs. Grace M. Strout, was in keeping with the season and consisted of: Vocal solo, "Star of the East" (Kennedy) Miss Nellie Tibbets; talk on personal experiences by Capt. Woodrow Wil-

son of the Acropolis SS Coloradans; carols, "Silent Night" (Gruber), "There's a Song in the Air" (Ex-cel) Miss Laverne Patterson; story of the composition of "Silent Night," Dr. H. W. Flagg; vocal solo, "Virgin's Lullaby" (James A. Bartlett) Miss Margaret Simmons. The appearance of St. Nicholas added cheer to the occasion. He was assisted in the distribution of gifts from the tree by Lloyd Miller.

Marion Maxcy and Virginia Ross were week-end guests of the latter's uncle, Charles W. Brown, Portland.

A Christmas tree will be held at the Federated Church Tuesday at 7 o'clock. A program will include an eight-hand piano selection, by Marjorie Cushing, Jean Gilchrist, Edwin Leach and James Gilchrist.

Miss Olive Rowell will arrive today from University of Maine, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Rowell, for ten days.

The Beta Alpha will meet Monday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Newbert. Members are asked to take gifts for the Christmas boxes.

The annual Christmas tree of the Baptist Church will be held Tuesday at 7 o'clock, at which time a program will be presented.

Miss Gertrude T. Brown will arrive Saturday from Washington, D. C. to spend the holidays at her home on Elm street.

Miss Esther Flagg arrives today from University of Maine, to be

THE HELPING HAND

This year "something new has been added" to the Salvation Army Christmas program. In addition to the hundreds of Christmas baskets that will be distributed to families, there is to be a Christmas "Sunshine Basket" to inmates in Hospitals, Sanitariums, Jails, County Farms, Old Ladies Homes, Old Men's Homes, Veteran Hospitals, Nurseries and other types of "shut-ins."

These people do not need turkey and the fixins; they are not lacking in groceries; they do need thoughtful remembrance, a kindly visit and an encouraging word. The Christmas "Sunshine Basket" has been constructed to hold a few dainty things and with these will come the personal good wishes of The Salvation Army Lasses.

Officials of The Salvation Army, discussing the new basket, were convinced that the smaller gift would be welcomed by the people in these institutions.

Over 150 rural and urban communities in New England will be providing this additional service and it is estimated that about 30,000 Christmas and Sunshine Baskets will be distributed.

ROCKPORT

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LIDA G. CHAMPNEY  
Correspondent  
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Tel. 2229

Mrs. Orra Burns returned home Wednesday from Community Hospital where she was a surgical patient three weeks.

Miss Lucille Dean returned home this week from Somerville, Mass. where she has been attending Fisher College since September.

Mrs. Lina Joyce, head of the Placement Bureau requests all women in the community who desire to enroll in first aid, home nursing, nutrition or canteen classes to register as soon as possible in order that new classes may be started. Registration may be made either with Mrs. Joyce or Mrs. Diana Pitts, chairman of the Citizens' Service Corps.

Mrs. Newton Grafton, who has been visiting relatives in Boston, arrived home Monday.

Mrs. Catherine Thompson of Rockland and Richard Crotte, home from the Naval Base at Newport, R. I., were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson.

Members of the Neighborhood Committee of the Citizens' Service Corps met at the Selectmen's Office Monday afternoon for instruction as to their new duties. Twenty-two

guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Flagg for ten days.

The passing of another milestone in the pastorate of Rev. Hubert F. Leach, (ably assisted by Mrs. Leach), is always an event to be observed. His loyal congregation, thirteen years ago last Sunday on Friday the 13th, he and his family arrived here. Last Sunday, therefore, they stood on the Communion Table a pot of white chrysanthemums, accompanied by the lines: To our Dear Leaches: We think thirteen is a very lucky number.

We think fourteen is still luckier. And the more the years, The luckier for us.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Stone and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peyer entertained the We-Two Club Tuesday at the former's home. Supper was served, after which joke gifts in Christmas stockings were exchanged. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Forest Grafton, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Knights, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carroll, Sen. and Mrs. Albert Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lavender, Dr. and Mrs. I. C. Moss and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mayo.

The Baptist Ladies Mission Circle will meet Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the home of Miss Christine Moore.

Edwin Lynch, a student at Seton Hall Prep. School, South Orange, N. J. will arrive Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Lynch.

James Dana, a student at Hebron Academy will arrive today to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dana for the holidays.

In The Churches

Baptist Church: Sunday school will be at 9:45; morning service at 11, subject "Gifts for the Christ." The choral anthem will be Cantique de Noel (Adams) with incidental solo by Alfred Strout, and a contralto solo, Christmas (Harry Roe Shelley) soloist Mrs. Lydia Storer. At the evening service at 7 o'clock a pageant will be presented entitled "For the Shepherds a Song." There will also be a cantata "The Shepherds Vision" incidental soloists being Miss Margaret Simmons, Alfred M. Strout, Raymond K. Green and Lydia T. Storer; organist, Mrs. Grace M. Strout; and pianist, Miss Dorothy Lawry.

St. John's Church—Church school at 5:30; Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

Federated Church: Sunday school will be at 9:45; morning service at 11, subject "The Assurance of Our Faith." Music will be: Introit, "Good Tidings of Great Joy" (Shaw); anthems "And There were Shepherds" (Adams) and "The March of the Magi" (Holton) with incidental music by Mrs. Laura Harvey and Mrs. Marion Grafton; prayer Response, "O Holy Child of Bethlehem" (Redner). At the evening service at 7 o'clock there will be a dramatization, "The Little Shepherd."

Weisman Elected

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Rockland Doctor Will Head  
Knox County Medical  
Society

Dr. H. J. Weisman of Rockland was elected president of Knox County Medical Society at its annual supper meeting Tuesday night at the Copper Kettle. Other officers elected were: Dr. Saul Poliser of Camden, vice-president and Dr. A. J. Fuller of Pemaquid, secretary-treasurer.

Delegates to the annual meeting of the Maine Medical Society, to be held in June, were selected: Dr. C. Harold Jameson of Rockland and Camden and Dr. James Carls-well, Jr., of Camden, regulars; and Dr. Fuller and Dr. Weisman, alternates. Dr. Carls-well was elected censor for three years.

A chain letter of Christmas Greeting was prepared to be sent to the doctors of the society, who are "in the service": Howard Apollonio, Harry Tounge, Paul Jones, Wesley N. Waggatt, Frederick C. Demmon and Ralph P. Earle.

Meetings of the society are held the second Tuesday of each month, usually in Rockland. Because of the likelihood of rather small meetings for the next few months, addresses will be by members of the society.

## CAMDEN

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NAOMA MAYHEW
Correspondent
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Tel. 639

Mrs. Hattie Rhodes entertained a party of friends and relatives Saturday at a dinner party for her son, Cecil Rhodes of Bridgeport, Conn., formerly of Rockport, who went Sunday to Fort Devens, Mass. He will later go to a training school for mechanics. Mr. Rhodes was the recipient of a fine watch, the gift of his mother, also presents from other members of the party.

Harold Boynton, who has been spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Boynton, has returned.

Mrs. Irma Grover, Beverly Grover, Mrs. Betty Plaisted, Barbara Gallagher and Frances Dearborn spent Friday in Portland.

Miss Edith Clough is ill at her home on upper Elm street.

Milton E. Dyer, Jr., who went Thursday to Fort Devens, was given a farewell party at his home Monday.

Rejected. A Christmas party will be held at the vestry for the Sunday School Wednesday night and the Christmas program by the Church and Sunday School will be held Dec. 27 at 7 o'clock.

It is of the utmost importance that more women in the community should be present at the Red Cross room Tuesday from 1 to 4 p. m. to work on the surgical dressings, as the time is limited for the completion of the large order on hand.

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**Native Fowl, 33c a pound**

We shall have everything to make your Christmas dinner complete from soup to nuts.

Order some of your essentials for delivery Monday or Tuesday.

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## TALK OF THE TOWN

An officers' training school for Kiwanians of the 9th district was held Sunday at the Lancy House, Pittsfield. Those attending from the local club were: Richard P. Bird, president elect; Dr. Donald T. Leigh, and Dr. Edwin L. Scarlett, vice-presidents elect; Arthur F. Lamb, secretary, and Alfred Plourd, director elect.

Ruth Mayhew Tent extends best Christmas wishes to all who have patronized its parties the past year. The proceeds have been used in many ways to bring cheer to those ill, and shut-ins, and some persons less fortunate, perhaps, than themselves. The Tent will meet Monday night, and plans will be made for installation. A game party will be held at 2.15, with Mrs. Inez Packard and Mrs. Ada Payson, hostesses. Supper at 6.

The Board of Registration is in session at City Building for the purpose of registering voters for the special election in Ward Five to be held Dec. 29. The board will be session Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 17 to 23, both dates inclusive from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m., 3 to 5 p. m., during which time the new voters will be added to the list. No new voters will be added after Dec. 23, although the board will be in session for the purpose of correcting the voting list through Dec. 28th. No applications for physical incapacity or absentee ballots will be approved after 5 p. m., Dec. 28th.

## CHRISTMAS

[For The Courier-Gazette]

Over the blood-bespattered snow The Christmas-star rises again, 'Tis a promise to ease our burning pain. Peace, Peace to all men.

Peace the message of Christmas! Brought hope to our bleeding hearts, Twice it dimmed out, and then it came, The night.

Death tore our ranks apart, Shall we mistrust the rising star? Robbed of hope and torn by pain, Turn our backs to peace and think of war.

'Cause twice we believed—in vain! No! With our hearts aglow with love, We greet the Christmas-star again. The light of promise in the sky, Peace, Peace to all men.

H. J. E. Terhune  
Rockland.

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Looks like real artillery  
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The last word in realistic underwater craft  
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Halo device imparts a radiant glow around each lamp. A sprig of holly across the candle adds a touch of Christmas.  
All sets equipped with American made Mazda Lamps

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Finest quality steel—heavily nickel-plated. A most useful tool in any kitchen or in any garden. Will cut wire, light metals, shrubs and most heavy fabrics. A practical gift.

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Mrs. Ethel Prock Leonard of Pleasant street, announces the engagement of her daughter, Ruby F. Prock to Elmer E. Conary, U.S.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Conary, Crescent street. Miss Prock is a junior at the Rockland High School. Apprentice Seaman Conary is a graduate of Class of '42 Rockland High School and is now in training at Newport, R. I. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. Ochea Sidenspark, Summer street, who recently fell and suffered a broken wrist, has entered Damariscotta Hospital for surgical treatment.

Mrs. William G. Butman, Ingraham's Hill, was guest of honor at a surprise party given at the home of Mrs. Butman, Friday, by Mrs. Allard S. Pierce of South Thomaston. Refreshments were served. Guests were: Mrs. Ralph Colby, Mrs. Arnold Stimpson, Mrs. Marion Arcey, Mrs. Curtis Goodwin, Mrs. Hugh Knowlton, Mrs. Jesse Sleeper, Mrs. Ethel Godfrey, Mrs. Edward Jarrett and Miss Alice Baum.

Mrs. Albert Carver of Vinahaven has been in the city for a few days, coming to meet her daughter, Marilyn who is attending school in Boston. Wednesday she was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Percy L. McPhee, James street.

Mrs. A. A. Bain, who moved recently to her new home on Beech street, is a patient at the Thayer Hospital in Waterville.

Mrs. John H. McLoon of Beech street, will be hostess to the Rubenstein Club this afternoon at 2.15. Mrs. Nathalie Snow will be chairman and the program will include: Readings by Mrs. Helen Wentworth; piano solo by Mrs. Snow; vocal solo by Mrs. Faith Brown; piano solo by Mrs. Mabel L. Strong and Carol singing by the group attending.

Miss Edith Rich has arrived home from Norfolk, Va., and will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Alice R. Rich, State street.

Mrs. George W. Smith, Summer street, is entertaining her two-table contract club this afternoon.

Friday Rug Club is being entertained today by Mrs. Knott C. Rankin, Cedar street.

Miss Margaret Havener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Havener, is expected home for Christmas. She is attending Fisher School, Somerville, Mass.

John Ladd of Stockton Springs is spending the winter with his niece, Mrs. Irving Elwell.

Tonian Circle held its Christmas party Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Donald Farrand, Talbot avenue. Twenty-two were present for picnic supper, Christmas tree and social evening. Plans were made for benevolence work of the circle, and there was singing of carols, with Mrs. Ralph E. Nutt at the piano. Miss Mary Farrand was Santa Claus and distributed gifts from the tree. Those present were: Miss Gladys Blethen, Mrs. Doris Bowley, Miss Pearl Borgeson, Mrs. Ruth Benner, Mrs. Ruth Campbell, Mrs. Dorothy Christofersen, Mrs. Charlotte Flint, Mrs. Bernice Freeman, Mrs. Augusta Holmes, Mrs. Ruth Levenseller, Mrs. Pauline MacWilliams, Miss Margaret Nutt, Mrs. Frances Philbrook, Mrs. Pauline Schofield, Mrs. Elizabeth Seavey, Miss Katherine Vezie, Mrs. Neva Wiggin, Mrs. Adelaide Lowe, Mrs. Persis Kirk, Mrs. Farrand, Mrs. Nutt, and Miss Eliza Steele, R. N., a guest.

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New Members of Firm From Madeira

C. I. Castro, vice president of the new firm, was formerly in the banking business in the Madeira Islands, off Portugal.

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## INFANTS' DRESS FACTORY

### Camden Welcomes Another Promising Industry—To Operate Two Factories

Monday morning marked a milestone in Camden's industrial history, when a new infant's dress factory opened on Washington street in the Tibbetts building, which has just been rebuilt inside, painted and thoroughly renovated to make fine working quarters.

The new firm which starts this week the manufacture of infant's wear—baby dresses, slips and night-gowns, similar to the type formerly imported from the Philippines—is Castro & Walsh, Inc. The officers are Edward J. Walsh, president; C. I. Castro, vice president, and Albert Paul Castro, treasurer and secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh will be in charge of the Camden factory and Messrs. Castro will handle the sales at their new York salesroom, 1360 Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Walsh are well known in Camden, having come there from Boston and opened a children's dress factory in the Brewster building Nov. 1, 1939, manufacturing a charming line of small children's dresses known by the trade name of Nancy Ellen frocks. Mr. and Mrs. Walsh became interested in moving to Camden through the efforts of the Industrial Committee of the Camden Chamber of Commerce, headed by Gilbert Harmon as chairman. They had operated a factory in Boston, and Mrs. Walsh was formerly a buyer of infants and children wear at Jordan Marsh Co.

Will Operate Two Factories Mr. and Mrs. Walsh will continue the manufacture of Nancy-Allen Frocks in the Brewster building, and will manage also the all-white infants' wear manufacture in the Tibbetts building.

Mr. Walsh says that they hope to expand to the point where 100 operators, stitchers and pressers, will be employed in the two factories, by the end of the next six months, when more machines are obtained.

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On a tiny farm in California Miss Mary Leasure is producing worms and eggs literally by the millions and is shipping them all over the world for use in revitalizing worn-out soils and in accelerating the growth of orchard trees and garden plants. "There's all sorts of ways to make a living!"

Don't think for a minute we're in this fight Just to settle the question, "Who is right?" It's the "What is right?" we should keep in view. And not the "why," or the "where," or the "who."

A new method of rectifying faulty tooth alignment by forcing the muscles to influence the whole structure of the jawbone, a method apparently simpler and quicker than the one that dentists now use, was recently reported.

If the tuberculosis death rate of 1912 had continued until now, more than two million additional persons in this country would have died of tuberculosis in the last 30 years.

Because of its value to the community, rice was honored at a festival held recently in Cachoeira, Brazil. Government officials attended to help inaugurate the rice harvest. In that city alone more than \$1,000,000 is invested in the production of the grain, giving work and support to 25,000 families.

Midshipmen from the Maine Maritime academy were working in shifts of 75 each today to salvage coal which went into the water when the Castine Coal company's wharf and building collapsed during the storm recently.

Of the nine provinces of Canada, seven have a coast line on salt water.

Who knows what Fuzzy Wuzzies are? They make excellent Christmas gifts for the men of the family and came in white, red or blue. Find out and get some.

Keep those old silk stockings and some day Rockland will have the proper collecting committee to gather them in to be used for bandages after the Chinese get them and put them through certain processes.

A new valuable vitamin has been discovered in the peel of lemons. Attention to this: The war working grandmothers have organized as a society in Philadelphia and the rooster is growing every day.

The report comes that Chile is near a break with the Axis. If some one would only give them a push in the right direction it would be O. K. with the most of the world.

Normally the Canada bees produce from 25,000,000 to 30,000,000 pounds of honey a year. They are not doing any less these war years and the bee cultivators hope to add a great many extra pounds to the credit of Canada in 1943.

For the first time in history the public debt has passed the \$100,000,000 mark.

Today's daily statement on the condition of the Treasury revealed that the total gross public debt as of Nov. 30 was \$100,379,323.851.62. It had climbed \$446,735.685.37 since the previous day.

Before it became a state in 1889, North Dakota was identified with nine United States territories and claimed by three European nations.

U. S. spends forty-six billion in its first year of total war.

Assorted Chocolates If some confectioner were willing To let the shape announce the filling We'd encounter fewer assorted chocos.

Bitten into and returned to the box. —Ogden Nash, in Good Intentions

Coffee and cocoa are to be processed in Venezuela to save space in shipment here. In the case of cocoa, the beans will be roasted and the hulls removed, thus saving 40 percent on shipping room. As for coffee, it will be extracted, then concentrated to 90 percent solids and 10 percent moisture, saving 90 percent cargo space. A desirable product for the ice-cream trade and candy makers.

### TENANT'S HARBOR

Preparations are being made for a Christmas tree and program Tuesday at 7 in the vestry under auspices of the Sunday School, with Mrs. Gladys Davis as chairman. Her assistants are Mrs. Aune Bragdon, Mrs. Harriet Wheeler and Mrs. Mildred Watts.

Olie Barter of Auburndale, Mass., recently visited his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Barter and his brother, Lewis Barter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barter were pleasantly surprised Tuesday night with an immense Christmas basket beautifully decorated and laden with goodies from friends in the community. This was accompanied by a monetary gift and a Christmas tree. Mrs. Etta Watts and Mrs. Ella Bitgood were chairmen of the "surprise party." Mrs. Barter has been an invalid for the past few years and is in failing health.

News has been received here of the sudden death, Dec. 10 of Mrs. Carroll Y. Monaghan of Watertown, Mass., following an operation. Mr. Monaghan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Monaghan and is a native of this place.

Mrs. William P. Seavey, chairman of the Citizens' Service Corps, has appointed Mrs. Sanford W. Delano and Mrs. Ernest B. Buswell as co-chairmen of the "Neighborhood Plan." Under this plan the city will be divided according to the several wards and leaders will be chosen for each ward. Under these leaders, sub-leaders will be appointed, to have certain number of houses, or section, to cover. They will impart to householders in their section, information with respect to a variety of subject having to do with civilian defense.

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### ALDEN A. STOVER

Alden A. Stover, 82, died Tuesday in Brockton, Mass., after a brief illness. He was a former business man in Maine but had been retired for the past 20 years. He had lived in Brockton about five years.

Mr. Stover, a native of Rockland, conducted a lime manufacturing business in Warren, for many years and later was in the wholesale grain business at Rockland.

He is survived by a son in Brockton, Herbert H. Stover, and a grandson, Herbert H. Stover, Jr., in the U. S. Army at Camp Pickett, Va. Also three granddaughters, Mrs. J. W. McGarry of Jamaica Plain, Mrs. Roland A. Small of New Bedford and Mrs. Theodore H. Newcomb of Quincy.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at the funeral home, 43 White avenue. Interment will be in the family lot in Achorn cemetery, Rockland.

Dr. C. Harold Jameson of Camden and Rockland left Thursday for a two day visit in Boston.

### CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

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## SERMONETTE

### An Open Market

Abraham Lincoln had the gift of expressing his ideas in short compass, but clothed in sublime language. His "Gettysburg Speech" and Gray's "Elegy" rank as two of the most beautiful examples of pure English. They have become symbols of correct writing.

Jesus Christ in His parables painted unforgettable word pictures in few words.

In Portland on Wednesdays and Saturdays is an open market where 30 or 40 spaces are marked off for the farmers' cars. Here they display their products and crops, fresh from their farms. This market is both a busy and colorful place. Often in walking through I have bought flowers or vegetables, only to find a little farther along, much better ones.

Christ was familiar with just this sort of thing. He knew nothing about churches as we know them, but He talked about the Kingdom of God, of which He had complete knowledge. He knew about open markets—Judaea was full of them. He had seen Orientals display their finest rugs, and rarest gems, priceless jewels. In exactly six lines He tells his hearers of "the merchantman who spent his life seeking goodly pearls and then when he had found one pearl of great price, went and sold all he had and bought it." He said, "The Kingdom of heaven is like this."

Many pass lives gathering up what are considered goodly pearls, which must be left behind; and unlike the merchantman, behold the pearl of great price, which is eternal, yet hold on to goodly pearls and let the pearl of great price, which would save a soul, escape. In 32 words, Christ painted this picture which has lasted through 20 centuries.

William A. Holman

"Is the universe, including man, evolved by atomic force?" is the



subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Dec. 20. The Golden Text is: "Known unto God are all his works from the beginning of the world" (Acts 15:18).

### First Baptist Church

Rev. J. Charles MacDonald, Minister.  
10.30 a. m.

Prelude—"Pastoral Symphony" from the "Messiah," Handel.  
Prayer—Mrs. Frances E. Whitling, Organist.  
Announcements.  
Hymn—"O Morning Star!"  
Anthem—"O Come All Ye Faithful," Arr. by Jungst.  
Scripture Lesson, Luke 2:20.  
Hymn 64.  
Prayer.  
Announcements.  
Offertory—"O Morning Star!"  
Anthem—"O Come All Ye Faithful," Arr. by Jungst.  
Sermon—"The Purpose of Christ's Coming," Rev. J. Charles MacDonald.  
Anthem—"Break Forth O Beatitude," Arr. by J. S. Bach.  
Benediction.  
Postlude—"Postlude," J. H. Rogers.  
The Church School will meet at noon for the study of the Christmas lesson. The Christmas Endeavor Society and the Berean Society will omit their services.  
7.15 p. m.

### Littlefield Memorial Baptist Church

Rev. C. A. Marsteller, pastor.  
Sunday Morning—10.30  
Prelude—"Adeste Fideles," Freeman.  
Pianist, Mrs. William Dorman.  
Violinist, Mrs. Ronald Lord.  
Invocation—Lord's Prayer.  
Gloria Patri.  
Responsive Reading—"The Message of the Angels."  
Hymn—"While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," Matt. 2:1-11.  
Scripture Lesson—Matt. 2:1-11.

Anthem—"Day of Wonder," Note.  
Soloist—Miss Miriam Dorman.  
Prayer—Response.  
Announcements.  
Offertory—"Christmas Fantasy," Kohlmann.  
Anthem—"In a Lowly Manger," Price.  
Soloist—Mrs. Jessie Uimer.  
Sermonette for Children.  
Hymn—"I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day."  
Sermon—"The Guiding Star," D'Abel.  
Benediction.  
Postlude—"Postlude," D'Abel.  
Sunday Evening—7.15

In the evening there will be a Christmas service with reading, music, and pantomimes, entitled "Coming of the King," arranged by Dorothy L. Sumner. Characters are as follows:  
Reader, Roger Conant.  
Mary, Ariene Bartlett.  
Joseph, Violetta Gerrish.  
Elizabeth, Ruth Hammond.  
Joseph, Austin Uimer.  
Innkeeper, William McLellan.  
Shepherds, Alvin Norton, Donald McLellan, George Cassens.  
Wise Men, Doris Gray, Lunette Gray, Julia Mealey.  
Joy, Ruth Hammond.  
Love, Jeanette Carter.  
Hope, Catherine Young.  
Peace, Leona Lothrop.  
Curtain Attendants, Ruth Carter, Lois Clark.  
Choir, Miriam Dorman, Lucy Munro, Sylvia Hooper, Barbara Conant, Ruth Dorman, Norma Munro.  
Soloist, Shirlene Lord.  
Pianist, Mrs. Ina Hooper.

### Pratt Memorial Methodist Church

Alfred G. Hempstead, minister.  
Mrs. Charles Jilison, organist.  
Morning Worship, 10.45 a. m.  
Prelude—"A Christmas Carol," Lorenz.  
Hymn—"O Come, All Ye Faithful."  
Prayer.  
Duet—"There's a Song in the Air," Harrington.  
Mrs. Lorita Bicknell and Mrs. Thelma Stanley.  
Responsive Reading.  
Gloria Patri.  
Affirmation of Faith.  
Anthem—"Rejoice! 'Tis Christmas Morn."  
Scripture Lesson.  
Pastoral Prayer.  
Offertory—"Herald Angels Mendelssohn."  
Hymn—"It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."  
Sermon—"The Quest of the Wise Men."

Hymn—"Angels From the Realms of Glory."  
Benediction.  
Postlude—"Hosanna!" Wachs.  
Church School at noon.  
Youth Fellowship at 6 p. m.  
Leader: David Hempstead.  
Evening worship at 7 p. m. A service of Candle Lighting will be presented with the singing of the Children's Choir, and the Junior Auxiliary Choir. The music and scripture and responses will be given in three parts. The Promise, The Preparation and The Prophecy Fulfilled. The symbolic candles on the altar will be lighted; the Service of Lights will be omitted because of the recent emphasis on public safety. The Junior Auxiliary has sponsored the special preparations for this service as the Christmas Special Observation.

In the musical program at the Universalist Church 10.40, Mrs. Conover Fitch Jr. and Adelaide Lowe will assist Miss Lotte McLaughlin. Christmas carols and special selections will feature the service. Dr. Lowe will preach on "The Spirit of Christmas in a Troubled World." Nursery department for younger children during the worship service. Y.P.C.U. Christmas party and devotional service in the vestry 7 p. m. Members please remember to bring gifts.

The program numbers include:  
Organ Prelude.  
Vivette Echoes, Hodson.  
Trio—Gesu Bambino, Yon.  
Miss Lotte McLaughlin, Mrs. Conover Fitch Jr., Mrs. John Smith Lowe.  
Solo—"There's a Song in the Air," Oley Speaks.  
Trio—Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming, Praetorius.  
Postlude—"Hallelujah Chorus," Handel.

The Christmas program Sunday at the Congregational Church will include:  
Voluntary Christmas Pastoral.  
Anthem—"Quartette—Sing, O Heavens," Tours.  
Soprano Solo—"Ave Maria," Bach-Gounod.  
Mrs. Esther Howard.  
Offertory—"Cradle Song," Hoffmann.  
Anthem—"Quartette, Hail the King!" Homer Bartlett.  
Postlude—"Jubilate," Hosmer.

Sunday services in the United Episcopal Parish of Saints Peter, John and George, Rev. E. O. Kenyon, rector—services for the Fourth Sunday in Advent: At St. Peter's: Holy Eucharist and sermon at 9 a. m.; Church School at 10. At St. George's, Long Cove: Church School at 3.30; Vespers and sermon at 4 p. m. At St. John's, Thomaston: Church School at 5.30; Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m. The order of the Christmas services will be published the first of the week.

## GROSS NECK

Mrs. Charles Morse and daughter of the village visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons. Mrs. Abbie Standish of West Waldoboro called Wednesday on Mrs. Alice Gentner. Melvin Gentner, Jr. returned home Thursday after visiting his sister, Mrs. Clarence Richards in Friendship. Mrs. Alden Waltz is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Winchenbach of West Waldoboro spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Gross. Mr. and Mrs. James Waltz of the village were guests Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Waltz. Mrs. Eldora Gross and Mrs. Marion Winchenbach of Dutch Neck visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Castner in Medomak. Melvin Gentner and Charles Gentner were recent visitors in Wiscasset.

## GEORGES RIVER ROAD

The Christmas sermon will be preached in the Finnish Church Sunday at 1.30. A Christmas tree and program will be held in the same place Thursday night.

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## GUARDIANS OF OUR COAST

Attractive Christmas cards have been received by The Courier-Gazette staff from: The Nauset Light-keeper and Mrs. Eugene L. Coleman and "Dete," Whitlocks Mill Light Station of Calais; St. Croix River Lighthouse of Red Beach.

## PORTLAND HEAD

Keeping busy with the everyday station duties. Ann Walker Sterling was recent guest at the home of her grandparents here. Arthur Harlow of South Portland was guest Saturday of the Hills and Sterlings. R. T. Sterling was in Portland on business Tuesday. Mrs. E. E. Kinney of Portland

## At The Undercroft Christmas Dinner Party, Attended By 60, Was Great Success

Sixty were present, including men from the Naval Base and Coast Guard, for a Christmas dinner party held in The Undercroft at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Hilt and Mrs. Kinney made a short call Saturday on Mrs. W. C. Dow of Portland. Miss N. H. Kinney of St. George is guest of the Hills.

The Sterlings entertained at dinner Tuesday Mrs. Sterling's nephew, S. Sgt. A. E. Sterling is home on a 15-day furlough. Time goes so quickly when the boys come home but they fill every second and make time count. S. Sgt. Sterling is stationed at a Southern camp and leaves home Saturday.

Wednesday morning looked more like the Christmas season with the ground covered in a blanket of snow.

day night. Mrs. Charles A. Emery and Rev. Ernest O. Kenyon were special guests. There was group singing during the dinner hour and there were vocal solos by Leo Chinnette and Miss Mary Snow, with Miss Doris Coltart as mistress of ceremonies.

Eddie Argue took the part of Santa Claus and distributed gifts to the men from a Christmas tree. A poem was read as each gift was presented. Santa Claus Argue presented each lady with an evergreen corsage. After dinner the group went to the tower room at Community Building for dancing, the music being by an orchestra with the following players: Ray Williams and Bill Wooton of the Coast Guard; William East, Ronald Lord, Steve Kesel and Alvin French of Rockland. There were novelty dances. Miss Lucille Cannon presided at the punch bowl. The happy party was arranged by the Misses Helen and Doris Coltart, Miss Harriet Wooster, Miss Maxine Perry and Miss Helene Carnes.

The excellent supper was provided under the direction of Mrs. Keyn ap Rice, Miss Gladys Blethen, Mrs. Dorothy Lawrence,

Mrs. George A. Wooster and Mrs. Florence Stanfield. The Misses Helen Oldis and Eileen Cates arranged for the music.

Others assisting in making the party an outstanding success were Edwin R. Edwards, Sr., J. Alb. Jameson, Karl Packard, Karl R. and Arthur W. Doherty.

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